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Echo of Puneeth Rajkumar's sudden death

Rush for heart checks at many city hospitals

State to issue guidelines for gyms; all precautions taken, say gym owners

Mysuru, Nov. 3 (RK&BCT)- The untimely death of seemingly healthy and fit Sandalwood star Puneeth Rajkumar due to cardiac arrest appears to have triggered a sudden spike in the number of people queuing up for cardiovascular check-ups across Karnataka and the same trend is being witnessed at heart hospitals in Mysuru.

Hospitals have reported a 30 to 40 percent increase in the number of patients in the Out Patient Department (OPD) and notably people above 35 are registering themselves for cardiac checks. Earlier, only people above 50 used to come for such routine checks.

A man undergoes a treadmill stress test at Jayadeva Institute of Cardiovascular Sciences and Research on KRS Road in Mysuru this morning. Picture right shows the OPD rush at the Hospital.

So much is the rush at the State-run Jayadeva Institute of Cardiovascular Sciences and Research on KRS Road that doctors, paramedical staff and the registration staff at the front office are facing pressure. "Since Saturday last, there has been a huge rush for routine cardiology checks and many young people are coming here to undergo electrocardiogram (ECG), cardiologist consultation, echocardiogram (ECHO), angiogram and treadmill test (TMT)," Jayadeva Hospital Medical Superintendent Dr. K.S. Sadananda told *SOM* this morning.

On an average, over 500 to 600 people come to Jayadeva every day for OPD and over 10 to 15 people come to the Master Heart Check-up Department. "Since Saturday, OPD is witnessing an average of 1,100 to 1,200 people and the Master Heart Check-up Dept. is seeing crowds up to 50 and 60. We have over 55 doctors and 550 staff and this unusual rush is putting extra pressure on the resources and infrastructure," he added.

Despite successive holidays, there is extra rush and the OPD is full with people. Most patients are in their 20s or 30s and they are making specific requests for CT angiography, ECG, ECHO and treadmill stress tests, Dr. Sadananda noted.

(See HOSPITALS on page 7)

State resubmits proposal to develop Chamundi Hill

Rs. 100 crore grant awaited under Centre's PRASHAD Scheme

Karnataka Tourism Minister Anand Singh seen presenting a memento to Union Tourism Minister G. Kishan Reddy at the recently concluded 'Tourism and Culture Ministers Conference of the Southern Region' in Bengaluru as Union Minister of State for Tourism Ajay Bhatt looks on.

Mysuru / Bengaluru, Nov. 3 (BCT)- At a time when concerns are being raised over repeated landslides due to heavy rain and development activities atop Chamundi Hill, the State Government has resubmitted a proposal to the Centre to secure funds to holistically develop the Hill under the Pilgrimage Rejuvenation And Spiritual, Heritage Augmentation Drive (PRASHAD) Scheme launched by the Centre.

The proposal was resubmitted after certain issues were raised at the recently concluded (Oct. 28 and 29) 'Tourism and Culture Ministers Conference of the Southern Region' in Bengaluru. The intention of the conclave was to highlight the heritage and cultural tourism initiatives, skill development and potential of cruise tourism of the southern States and Union Territories.

PRASHAD is a fully Central Government-funded scheme where Rs. 100 crore will be granted towards development of temples. The scheme was launched in 2014-15 by the Union Ministry of Tourism. It aims at integrated development of pilgrimage destinations in planned, prioritised and sustainable manner to provide complete religious tourism experience. It focuses on the development and beautification of the identified pilgrimage destinations.

First proposal in 2019

In 2019, soon after the announcement of the Scheme fund allocation, the State Government had initiated the process of identifying the projects to be taken up and among them was a museum-cum-information centre (Integrated Interpretation and Command Centre) at the foot of Chamundi Hill and also certain development projects atop the Hill.

(See PROPOSAL on page 6)

STAR OF MYSORE

"We believe comment is free, but facts are sacred."

Editor: M. GOVINDE GOWDA, M.A.

Mysuru, Wednesday 3rd November 2021

Puppet show 'Narakasura Vadhe' at Shankar Mutt tomorrow

Mysuru, Nov. 3- As part of Deepavali celebrations, Mysuru Puppet Theatre (MPT), J.C. Nagar, Mysuru, will be presenting a puppet show 'Narakasura Vadhe' directed by M.R. Ranganatha Rao at Sri Shankar Mutt in Kille Mohalla tomorrow (Nov. 4) from 6.30 pm to 7.30 pm.

MPT Director Rangoli Srikantha's great-great-grandfather Narasinga Rao was considered to be a master in this form of puppetry in which the puppet is manipulated with three strings and two iron rods. The puppeteer then becomes an extension of the puppet itself.

The renowned Narasinga Rao had performed several times before the Maharaja Nalwadi Krishnaraja Wadiyar. His grandson M.R. Ranganatha Rao (maternal uncle of Srikantha's mother) followed in his grandfather's footsteps. Such was Ranganatha Rao's renown that Czarina of culture, the late Kamala Devi Chattopadhyaya, visited his hometown Magadi to admire the collection of wooden puppets and urge him to train others in this art form.

Keeping his promise to Kamala Devi, Ranganatha Rao has trained many youngsters to become professional puppeteers who have established some well-known puppet theatres in and around Bengaluru. Srikantha, his disciple, has set up Mysuru Puppet Theatre, he said.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

It is amazing that even while we celebrate "Azadi ka Mahotsav" as a tribute to 75 years of independence, students still wait for azadi from third-rate board examinations and the excruciating grind of coaching, entrance examinations, and (usually) grave disappointment. What we desperately need in the long-term is a switch away from rote learning. The New Education Policy may lead us to a completely revamped examination system though it seems like a distant dream given the drag exerted by the baggage of history.

In the medium-term, examination boards should work out a basic framework to coordinate across curricula, examination patterns, evaluation, moderation, etc. Such coordination should enable the capture and analysis of how different boards have distributed marks across the years. For the short-term, entrance examinations seem to be the only option for conducting admissions. The focus should, however, not be exclusively on centralised examinations but also on State-level entrance tests which are better aligned with the local curriculum. An intelligent restructuring of the admissions process is the least that governments, board administrators and institutions can do to clean up the mess they have created and sustained for decades.

—Anurag Mehra in NDTV.com

NEWS SPARKLERS

Robot arm with synthetic muscles

Warsaw: A Polish robotics engineer recently posted a series of intriguing videos of what looks like a dexterous android arm powered by synthetic muscles.

Łukasz Koźlik, who goes under the moniker Automaton Robotics online, is a talented robotics engineer from Poland who has spent the last few years creating an incredible synthetic muscle arm that moves eerily like a human one. A firm believer in the idea that muscle mimicry is the key to fast, efficient, and affordable robots, Łukasz has been building on the concept of McKibben muscle, or pneumatic artificial muscles, creating a synthetic muscular system that allows robots to move their fingers and palms in a similar way to humans.

In the videos recently posted online by Automaton Robotics, the arm is capable of moving each finger individually, in a manner eerily similar to humans, and appears to also grasp and lift a 7-kilogram (15.6 pounds) dumbbell.

Craziest downhill mountain biking race

French Alps: Megavalanche is a unique enduro race that sees thousands of participants riding downhill on a glacier, 8,530 feet above sea level while trying to stay on their bikes and not get run over by the pack.

Downhill enduro racing competitors ride individually against the clock, trying to get the best time possible. Megavalanche, has been taking place every year since 1995 except 2020. It is the only downhill race with a mass start on a glacier, that creates chaos and mayhem. Imagine 2,000 bike riders setting off on a snowy track, reaching speeds of around 75mph, losing control of their mountain bikes, and trying not to get swept away by the human avalanche forming all around them.

HEALTH CAPSULE

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By Dr. C B Keshavamurthy - Consultant Interventional Cardiology

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Sri Thyagaraja Sangeetha Sabha to observe Dikshitar's Day

Sri Thyagaraja Sangeetha Sabha Charitable Trust, Mysuru, will be observing Dikshitar's Day on Nov. 4 at Sri Vidyabharathi Prarthana Mandira, Sri Chandramouleeshwara Temple premises, V.V. Mohalla, in city from 10 am.

Respected as one of the musical trinity, Saint Composer Sri Muthuswamy Dikshitar (1775-1835) was a great composer of Karnatak Classical Music, with 450 to 500 compositions to his credit. His compositions are widely sung by musicians, which stand for the beauty of each raga in entirety and poetic brilliance coupled with authentic vedic, tantric and other details. He was a pioneer in composing a few works in western musical scales also and experimented with violin, which was later popularised in Karnatak Music by his brother and disciples.

Ashwayuja Amavasya is the day he left for heavenly abode, which is celebrated by musicians and music lovers. Many senior musicians of the city will be participating in the event along with their disciples to pay tributes to the Saint Composer.

Vid. H.K. Narasimhamurthy, Vice-President, Sri Thyagaraja Sangeetha Sabha, has in a press release requested music-lovers to attend the programme in large numbers.

REALLY...?

- *The State of Meghalaya, northeast India's "abode of clouds", is the wettest inhabited place on earth. The forested region has an average rainfall of 12,000 mm (470 inches) of rain every year. That's nearly 33mm of rain per day. Meghalaya's forests are home to a vast array of plant and animal species, including the Himalayan black bear, the pangolin (scaly anteater) and the zebra-striped hoopoe bird.*

LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

Banta: *Yaar Santa last year the name-plate outside your house read Santa BA This year it reads Santa MA; When did you get your Masters degree?*

Santa: *You don't understand. Last year my wife died I put BA to Indicate Bachelor Again, Then I took a second wife so MA is Married Again!*

TODAY'S CURRENCY RATE

1 US Dollar	= Rs. 74.56
1 UK Pound	= Rs. 101.65
1 UAE Dirham	= Rs. 20.30
1 Euro	= Rs. 86.39

COVID-19 UPDATE - MYSURU

	NOVEMBER 1	NOVEMBER 2
Day's Positive Cases	16	31
Total Positive Cases	1,79,183	1,79,214
Day's Discharges	25	25
Total Discharges	1,76,472	1,76,497
Day's Deaths	2	0
Total Deaths	2,418	2,418
Total Active Cases	293	299

NOTE: Figures as per Government Media Bulletin

VOICE OF THE READER

Is CESC ready to power LED street lighting?

Sir,

This refers to the move by MCC to replace all existing street lights of tube lamps, sodium vapour lamps by LED lighting system (*SOM* dated Oct. 23). This is a welcome move.

But I wonder whether CESC is ready to power these LED lights? The present distribution system having pole mounted transformer is already overloaded. With the provision of LED system, these transformers get overheated as the LED lighting generates harmonics.

The present transformers are not designed to cater for high level of harmonics or total harmonic distortion. Only K-Transformers can overcome the requirement of harmonics, which CESC do not have.

LED lighting equipment will generate a relatively high level of harmonic distortion in current waveforms. For example, a 25 W LED lamp which complies with the IEC 61000-3-2 standard and injects 85% of third harmonic and 61% of fifth harmonic, obtains a THD(I) of 105%, which is extremely high.

—A.V. Prasanna

Mysuru
28.10.2021

Puneeth Rajkumar's eyes give sight to four youths

Transplants carried out at Narayana Nethralaya with the help of advanced technologies

Bengaluru, Nov. 3- Actor Puneeth Rajkumar's eyes have been transplanted to a woman and three men and this is probably for the first time in the State, that the eyes of a deceased person has given sight to four persons. Chairman and Managing Director of Narayana Nethralaya Dr. Bhujang Shetty, said that the transplant was carried out with the help of advanced technologies.

Addressing media persons on Monday, Dr. Bhujang Shetty said "Even in their grief, Puneeth's family extended their support to donate his eyes. We collected the eyes on Friday, the day he died, and they were transplanted the very next day. Generally, we transplant donated eyes to two persons but in Puneeth's case, we were able to give sight to four youths."

"The superior layer was transplanted to two patients and only the deeper layer was transplanted to patients with deep corneal layer disease. Hence, we created four different transplants from two corneas to restore vision for four different patients. This had not been done in Karnataka so far, to the best of our knowledge," Dr. Bhujang Shetty added. The four recipients are doing well after surgery.

Following the footsteps of his father Dr. Rajkumar, the family of Puneeth Rajkumar donated his eyes on Oct. 29. Dr. Bhujang Shetty personally monitored the eye retrieval process.

City's CET State topper Meghan bags fifth rank in NEET

Shares rank with Mangaluru boy

H.K. Meghan

Mysuru, Nov. 3 (KS)- City's H.K. Meghan, who had created a record by securing the top rank in all streams of Karnataka CET has bagged the fifth rank in the National Eligibility-cum-Entrance Test (NEET) 2021, whose results were announced on Monday evening.

Meghan from Pramati Hill View Academy, who has scored 715 out of 720 marks in NEET, shares his rank with Jashan Chhabra from Mangaluru, who too has scored 715 marks out of 720.

Thanking his mother Leelavathi, Principal of Nrupathunga Kannada Medium PU College in city and father Krishnaiah, Principal of K.R. Nagar Government PU College for his success, Meghan said that he wanted to pursue medicine at AIIMS.

Stating that he wants to pursue his higher education in the field of Oncology, Meghan said that he had worked very hard to reach the goal.

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NEWS BRIEFS

Admission for SSLC private candidates

Prastuta Trust, H.D. Kote, has invited applications from 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th standard drop out students for getting registered as private candidates for SSLC exam to take place in April, 2022. The dropped out candidates must be aged above 15 years for admission. For details, contact the Trust Office on Gurikar Devanna Street, Fort Mohalla in Mysuru or call Mob: 86600-15532.

Aadhaar Seva Kendras closed

The Aadhaar Seva Kendra at Saraswathipuram will remain closed on Thursday (Nov. 4) on the occasion of Naraka Chaturdashi. However, Aadhaar Seva Kendra in Vijayanagar will remain closed on both Thursday (Nov. 4) for Naraka Chaturdashi and Friday (Nov. 5) for Deepavali, according to a press release from Col. N.G. Krishna Prasad (Retd.), Centre Manager Aadhaar Seva Kendra, Mysuru.

Elected

Prabhakar

Suresh Babu

Prabhakar and H.S. Suresh Babu have been elected unanimously as the Chairman and Hon. Secretary of The Institution of Engineers (India), Mysuru Division, for 2021-23, according to a press release.

WATER LEVEL

KRS DAM

Maximum	:	124.80 feet
Today	:	124.80 feet
Yesterday	:	124.80 feet
Inflow	:	5,074 cusecs
Outflow	:	4,863 cusecs

KABINI DAM

Maximum	:	2,284.00 feet
Yesterday	:	2,284.00 feet
Inflow	:	2,701 cusecs
Outflow	:	2,616 cusecs

HARANGI DAM

Maximum	:	2,859.00 feet
Today	:	2,857.26 feet
Inflow	:	599 cusecs
Outflow	:	841 cusecs

Senior theatre personality

Dr. H.K. Ramanath passes away

Mysuru, Nov. 3- Senior theatre personality and children's playwright Dr. H.K. Ramanath, passed away at a private hospital in Manipal yesterday. He was 84.

He leaves behind his wife, three sons and a host of relatives and friends.

The body will be brought to Mysuru tonight and will be kept at his residence in Vaghdevinagar here for the public to pay last respects. Last rites are expected to be held tomorrow morning after his son Sudhakar arrives from the US.

Dr. H.K. Ramanath

Dr. Ramanath, who had obtained Ph.D in Performing Arts and Theatre Studies from University of Mysore (UoM), had served as a Kannada lecturer for 25 years, part-time lecturer at Lalitha Kala College of UoM, producer of various programmes at Regional Institute of Education and had also served as the Kannada lecturer at District Institute of Education and Training (DIET).

He had also acted in various plays such as *Kelu Janamejaya*, *Ashadabhooti*, *Beralge Koral* and *Vamshavruksha* among others. He has also directed many plays and has also written more than 50 books on drama and theatre plays.

He was also the chief convenor from 2007 to 17 of the weekly *Kathe Kelona Banni* programme by Kalasuruchi and had created a record by taking care of 555 episodes continuously.

Man dead after falling into drain at Siddarthanagar

Rs. 5 lakh compensation given to deceased family

Mysuru, Nov. 3 (RKB&KS)- Following instructions from Krishnaraja (KR) MLA S.A. Ramdas, MCC Ward No. 53 Corporator Dr. Roopa Yogesh, handed over the compensation cheque for Rs. 5 lakh from the State Government's Disaster Fund to the family members of Chandregowda, who had died after falling into a big drain. A resident of Vinaya Marga in Siddarthanagar, Chandregowda had slipped and fell into the big drain, which was flowing in full force following heavy rains on Oct. 24 night and was swept away. The body was retrieved by MCC's Abhaya team staff and Fire and Emergency Services personnel from Karanji Lake at on Oct. 25. MLA's Personal Secretary Krishna was present during the handing over of the cheque.

Two Kodagu chit fund staff arrested for cheating company, customers

Madikeri, Nov. 3 (PS&KS)- Two employees of a private chit fund company have been arrested for allegedly cheating the company and customers to the tune of more than Rs. 35 lakh.

The arrested employees are 42-year-old K.T. Vinod, a resident of Manandawadi in Kerala, who was working as the Branch Manager and 28-year-old Jayaprasad, a resident of Periyapatna in Mysuru district, who was working as the Assistant Manager.

The private chit fund company had opened its branch office at Virajpet in 2019 and many people had invested in the chit fund. Due to financial problems faced by investors during lockdown, many had requested Branch Manager Vinod to return their investments. But Vinod is said to have given reasons and kept on postponing the refund dates.

Fed up with Vinod giving reasons, the investors approached the Mysuru Branch (Zonal Branch), met Assistant General Manager Pavithran and lodged a complaint against Vinod following which the Mysuru Branch Officer sought information from Vinod to which there was no response.

But following pressure from the investors, Pavithran visited the chit fund company's Virajpet branch and on verifying the computer records and other documents, he (Pavithran) came to know that more than Rs. 35 lakh has been cheated. As it was not only the investors but also the company that was cheated, Pavithran lodged a complaint against Vinod and Jayaprasad at Virajpet Town Police Station on Oct. 24.

Following the complaint, Vinod and Jayaprasad had gone absconding and Virajpet Police, who had launched a hunt to nab the two, arrested Jayaprasad on Oct. 30 at Periyapatna and based on the information provided by him (Jayaprasad), the Police arrested Vinod at Virajpet.

Police said that all the staff of the chit fund company are being questioned and added that more information is being obtained. The Police have seized the computer and other documents from the accused. Cases under IPC Section 408, 465 and 471 have been registered against accused Vinod and Jayaprasad, who were produced before a Court, which remanded them to judicial custody.

Woman, son drown in river

Ponnampet, Nov. 3 (KS)- A woman and her son were reportedly drowned in the river at T. Shettigeri village in the taluk on Saturday morning.

The deceased are Revathi (32), wife of Chattangada Prakash and their son Karyappa (12).

On Saturday morning, Revathi and Karyappa had taken their cow for grazing on the banks of Lakshmanatheertha River during which the cow, which was tied with a rope had untied itself and ran near the river.

Karyappa, who ran behind the cow in an attempt to catch it, slipped and fell into the river and Revathi, who was on the banks, saw her son drowning and jumped into the river to rescue him but both of them reportedly got drowned.

As the woman and her son did not go home till late afternoon, the family members, who went in search of them found the slippers of Revathi and Karyappa on the river banks and informed the jurisdictional Srimangala Police.

The Police, who rushed to the spot, launched a search operation to trace the bodies till late Saturday evening.

The search operation was suspended due to darkness and was resumed on Sunday morning and the body of Revathi was traced in the afternoon. The body was shifted to a hospital for post-mortem.

Though the search operation continued till late Sunday evening, the body of Karyappa could not be traced and the search was suspended following darkness.

The Police, who resumed the search on Monday, finally traced the body of Karyappa and was shifted to a hospital, where post-mortem was conducted. Srimangala Police, who have registered a case, are investigating.

Ex-Serviceman, girl commit suicide in city

Mysuru, Nov. 3 (SPN&KS)- In separate cases, an ex-serviceman is among two persons who have committed suicide in city.

In the first case, Mohan (55), an ex-serviceman, committed suicide by hanging self at his house in J.P. Nagar here, according to the Police. Mohan, who was staying with his wife and two daughters, took the extreme step in the room on the first floor of the house and the reason for Mohan to end his life is yet to be known.Vidyaranyapuram Police have registered a case.

In the second case, Chaitra (25), a resident of Medini village in Pandavapura taluk of Mandya district, reportedly committed suicide by consuming excessive tablets in Mysuru on Monday.

Passersby, who saw Chaitra writhing in pain near the tonga stand, opposite to Sub-Urban Bus Stand, informed the Police, who rushed to the spot and got her admitted to K.R. Hospital and was later shifted to a private hospital for further treatment, where she died, according to Nazarbad Police. Nazarbad Police, based on the complaint from girl's father Mahadevappa, have registered a case.

More funds to be sought from CM for rain damages: MLA

Mysuru, Nov. 3 (PM&DM)- Maintaining that his Constituency has suffered extensive damages due to heavy rains, Chamaraja MLA L. Nagendra said that he will seek funds from the Government for relief work and repairs.

He was speaking after inaugurating Ayurveda Poshan Food Expo and lecture programme organised jointly by Mysuru ZP, Women & Child Welfare Department and AYUSH Department as part of 6th Dhanvantari Jayanti (Ayurveda Day) at Sthree Shakti Bhavan in Vijayanagar 2nd Stage here yesterday.

Pointing out that Chamaraja constituency was one of the worst affected in recent rains, Nagendra said that blocked storm water drains and poor underground drainage system were the main reasons for flooding of the city. He will seek funds from the Chief Minister for addressing civic issues of the city, he added.

Stressing on the need for women to concentrate more on their health, the MLA said that pregnant women and lactating mothers should consume nutrient rich foods to ensure the health of their children.

Noting that it is important to maintain health by consuming nutritious foods, he said that consumption of fruits and vegetables is key for maintenance of health.

Stating that the Government has many schemes for providing nutritious food, Nagendra said that as an MLA, it is his responsibility to ensure that everyone keeps a good health.

Women and Child Welfare Deputy Director B. Basavaraj said that Poshan Abhiyan is one of the important initiatives of the Department. Highlighting the objectives of the Abhiyaan, he said that the Department is working towards eradicating malnutrition among children, pregnant women and lactating mothers.

District AYUSH Officer Dr. B.S. Seethalakshmi said that Dhanvantri Jayanti is being celebrated as National Ayurveda Day in the month of November.

Pointing out that the day is being celebrated across the country, she said that it is important to follow a lifestyle that helps in maintaining our health. Asserting that the COVID pandemic has not yet fully subsided, she stressed on the need for consumption of foods that improves our immunity.

Ayurveda Practitioner Dr. Vindhya delivered a talk on 'AYUSH Poshan Food.'

Corporator M.U. Subbaiah and others were present.

Expo marks Dhanvantari Jayanti

Road safety, legal assistance programme held in city

DLSA Member-Secretary Devaraj Bhoote addressing the gathering during the awareness programme on Road Safety and Legal Assistance at Sub-Urban Bus Stand on Nov. 1 as** (from left) **Motor Vehicle Inspector G.M. Suresh, Regional Transport Officer L. Deepak, KSRTC Accounts Officer Eraiah and KSRTC Traffic Supervisor Gangadharaswamy look on.

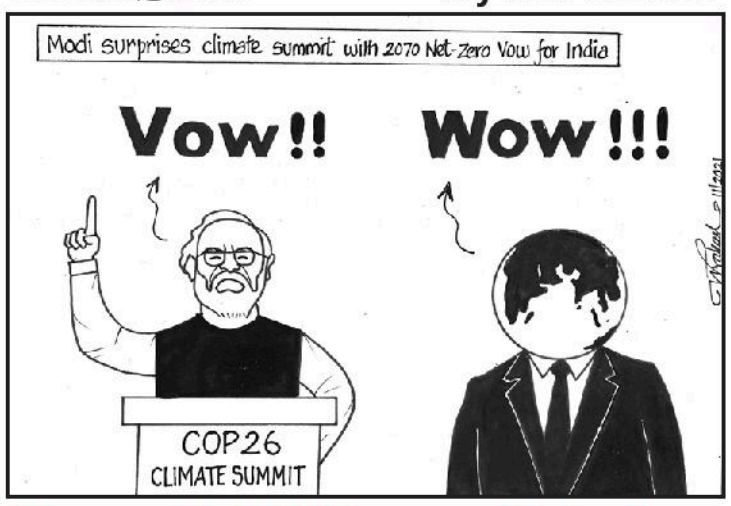
Mysuru, Nov. 3 (KS) - District Legal Services Authority (DLSA), in association with Regional Transport Office (RTO) - both East and West - and KSRTC (City and Rural Divisions), had organised an awareness programme on Road Safety and Legal Assistance for the staff of KSRTC and general public on Nov. 1 afternoon at Sub-Urban Bus Stand premises in city.

Senior Civil Judge and DLSA Member-Secretary Devaraj Bhoote, addressed the gathering and provided information about legal procedures to be taken during accidents.

RTO officials distributed hand books on Road Safety and created awareness on the Dos and Don'ts while driving or riding vehicles.

Superintendents of RTO Offices Manjunath and Thammanna Gowda, staff of KSRTC and others were present.

TEASER By N. Prakash



Over 4,700 candidates clear K-SET

Hemantha Kumar

Mysuru, Nov. 3 (RK&DM)- More than three months after the exam was held, the University of Mysore(UoM), which is the nodal agency to conduct Karnataka State Eligibility Test (K-SET) for appointment as Assistant Professors in Degree Colleges across the State, declared the results of K-SET-2021 here yesterday, according to which a total of 4,779 candidates have qualified.

The UoM had conducted the Test on July 25 at 11 cities across the State including Mysuru, Bengaluru, Belagavi, Davanagere and Mangaluru, in which 69,857 out of the 83,907 registered candidates had appeared.

Announcing the results at Crawford Hall here yesterday, UoM Vice-Chancellor Prof. G. Hemantha Kumar said that out of the 4,779 qualified candidates, 2,470 were male and 2,309 female candidates. The pass percentage this year is 6.84 percent, which is less by 0.05 percent as compared to last year.

Pointing out that the next K-SET, which is recognised by the UGC, will be conducted in either February or March next year, Prof. Hemantha Kumar said that the University is likely to seek renewal of permission (once in three years) from the UGC for the conduct of K-SET for three more years.

Stating that K-SET was conducted in 41 subjects, he said that the highest number of candidates who have qualified were from Mangaluru with 9.72 percent result, followed by Bengaluru with 9.36 percent and Mysuru with 8.08 percent. However, the highest number of candidates who appeared for K-SET were highest in Mysuru (15,509), followed by Bengaluru (13,630) and Mangaluru (4,573), he added.

Continuing, Prof. Hemantha Kumar said that to qualify for the selection list, a candidate must have appeared in both papers (300 marks) and secured at least 40 percent aggregate marks taken together for General category candidates and 35 percent for reserved category candidates.

The number of candidates to be qualified for eligibility (total slots) for eligibility to Assistant Professor posts shall be equal to 6 percent of the candidates appearing in both the papers of K-SET, which means that 4,191 candidates can qualify. As there was a tie in results and the number of candidates who scored equal marks were 588, this number was added to 4,191, thus taking the total of qualified candidates to 4,779, he explained.

All the candidates who cleared K-SET will get a certificate which will have a life time validity, he added. Prof. Hemantha Kumar further said that the highest number of candidates who wrote the Test was 14,063 in Commerce and the lowest was 25 in Linguistics. As many as 888 candidates have become eligible in Commerce stream to become Assistant Professors, he noted.

382 teaching posts vacant in UoM

Prof. Hemantha Kumar said that as many as 382 teaching posts are vacant for many years and the current student-teacher ratio affected the chances of the Century-old University getting higher NAAC grades.

Out of the 664 sanctioned teaching posts, 382 posts continue to remain vacant, he said adding that the academic activities are being run with the existing faculty of Professors, Associate Professors and Assistant Professors with support of 700-plus guest faculty. He said that the last time the University appointed teaching faculty was in 2007.

The University had aimed for A+ grade in NAAC accreditation. However, it lagged behind in two parameters after having successfully cleared other parameters, the V-C said. "The filling up of vacant posts by now would have improved the student-teacher ratio and this could have increased the chances of getting higher NAAC grades," he observed.

Behind the scenes with Dasara elephant doctor

Veterinarian Dr. Ramesh runs the show with jumbos for the first time

By M.T. Yogesh Kumar

Mysuru, Nov. 3- After the elephant handlers during Dasara, the next important role is played by the elephant doctor, designated by the Forest Department to take care of the jumbos during their more-than-a-month stay inside the Mysore Palace. Anything amiss in their health, the doctor has to shoulder the blame.

Dr. Ramesh

Fortunately, nothing untoward happened during this year's Dasara except for minor aberrations like Vikrama's musth condition and the people-and-vehicle-terrified Lakshmi, the first timer. Both were pulled out from the 'Vijayadashami' procession.

This year, the credit of ensuring the smooth conduct of the festival and ensuring a good elephant health has to go to Dr. H. Ramesh, who has achieved the feat for the first time. In fact, when Ramesh was appointed as the vet for Dasara elephants days before Dasara, no one had heard his name and there were apprehensions about how he would manage the elephants following the legacy of well-known doctors like Dr. Chittiappa and Dr. D.N. Nagaraj who have put in years of service in caring for Dasara elephants.

But setting aside all the apprehensions and working focused, Dr. Ramesh has proved his mettle and has successfully conducted the festival earning brownie points. He, however, credits the achievement to seniors, Department Staff and the elephant handlers without whose support this would not have been possible.

Dr. H. Ramesh with Dasara elephant Gopalaswamy and his mahout inside the Mysore Palace last month.

Bannerghatta experience

He joined the Veterinary Department just three years ago and within a short time, he got a chance to be the elephant doctor during Dasara. "Yes, I was nervous about being assigned such a big responsibility and had no clue on the celebrations and had only read in the newspapers regarding the festival's scale and grandeur and the responsibility that comes with it. But the experience gained at Bannerghatta Biological Park since 2018 came in handy," Dr. Ramesh told *Star of Mysore*.

He said that he had developed a bond with animals including elephants at Bannerghatta and that helped him scrape through the first time and this Dasara experience has helped him to gain vast knowledge. "I know this one year experience is not at all enough when it comes to handling Dasara elephants. Initially it was challenging and I am glad that the celebrations were incident-free. Every day is a learning process and I hope to do even better next year," he said.

The 28-year-old Doctor is the native of Chatrada Hosahalli in Maddur taluk of Mandya district. He obtained his post-graduate degree in surgery and radiology at Hassan. He joined Government service in 2018 and started his first assignment at Bannerghatta Biological Park. In August 2021, he was posted to Nagarahole Tiger Reserve region and successfully fitted radio-collar to two male and two female wild elephants after capturing them. After the procedure, the elephants were driven back to the wild.

Bond with Abhimanyu

Apart from taking care of over 25 elephants in Bannerghatta, he has experience in driving away wild animals including elephants, leopards and bears back into the forests with the help of combing specialist Abhimanyu. "The close bond with Abhimanyu and his mahout Vasantha at various encounters since the last three years helped understand Abhimanyu better as he efficiently performed the role of Howdah Elephant," Dr. Ramesh added.

Not only field experience, he boasts of medical experience and knowledge of animal health and food habits as he has practical exposure in conducting over 15 to 20 post-mortems of elephants that died due to various reasons.

Experience with lions

"At Bannerghatta Biological Park, there are three divisions — safari, rescue and zoo. When I was there, there were over 100 lions that were rescued from various circuses. Due to age factor and various other reasons, over 62 lions died and I had performed the post-mortem," he claimed.

"There lived a lioness by name Sana and she used to devour her cubs soon after birth. In 2018-19, she gave birth to 12 cubs and we had the responsibility of taking care of all the cubs and we used to feed them with goat milk and we managed to save 9 cubs. They were let off in the safari area," he said.

A close watch on health

Elephants are show-stoppers of the Dasara celebrations and it is a huge responsibility to take care of them. The elephants are extended warm hospitality and, in turn, the gentle giants take part in the 'Vijayadashami' procession with élan.

"They get special nutrition — sugarcane, jaggery, hay, paddy, green gram, urad dal/black gram, coconut and boiled vegetables along with dietary supplements. Since elephants are sensitive, thorough preparation is required to acclimatise them to the city atmosphere and any small illness would have a huge impact on the festival," he said.

"We monitor their health round-the-clock and ensure they stay fit for the 'Vijayadashami' procession. We watch their dung closely to find if the animal is suffering from any disease or indigestion. This is the only way to see if the elephants are healthy and they don't have a stomach upset," he added.

State resubmits proposal to develop Chamundi Hill

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However, the project has not yet taken off and the issue was raised at the conclave by State Tourism Minister Anand Singh who sought to know why the funds have not been sanctioned to Karnataka under PRASHAD Scheme. Replying to Anand Singh, Union Tourism Minister G. Kishan Reddy said that Karnataka failed to provide a comprehensive report to include Chamundi Hill under the PRASHAD Scheme and there were glitches.

Soon after the observation was made, the State Tourism Department hurriedly pushed through a fresh proposal to develop 'Chamundi Hill Circuit' under PRASHAD Scheme. If approved, the Scheme will boost the tourism sector of Mysuru that is reeling under the pandemic.

Development plans

At the tourism conclave, Karnataka Tourism Department made a detailed presentation on developing the Chamundi Hill Circuit at a cost of over Rs. 50 crore. The Government wants to beautify the Hill and its foothill by upgrading facilities, restoring and redeveloping and beautifying the Nandi Statue, Devikere and improving the approach to the Chamundeshwari Temple premises with a guided walkway, interactive signage, smart parking and centralised ticketing and parking facilities.

Sticking to the 2019 proposal of museum-cum-information centre at the Chamundi foothill, the Department has proposed a 'Smart Heritage' idea where an interactive museum and interpretation centre will be set up at the foothill. The centre will narrate the history of Chamundi Hill and Mysuru with audio visual aid, showcasing the Wadiyars of Mysuru, a children's park with the theme of Mahisha and Mahishasura Mardhini.

Zero-carbon route

Also the fresh proposal advocates a zero-carbon emission circuit with no vehicles to be allowed atop the Hill where electric buses would ferry the devotees and people. According to Karnataka Tourism Department Director Sindhu B. Rupesh, the Union Tourism Ministry has given in principle approval for the fresh proposal submitted to develop Chamundi Hill under PRASHAD Scheme.

Before the Centre gives final approval, a delegation will visit the Hill and as per the suggestion made by the Central Tourism Department, the immediate surroundings of the Temple ('Praakaara') have been included in the fresh proposal. "We have explained the historical and spiritual significance and speciality of Sri Chamundeshwari Temple and how an integrated and holistic development can be achieved through PRASHAD Scheme and the response has been positive," she said.

Sales dull; cracker dealers pin hopes on clear skies

Mysuru, Nov.3 (PM,MK&DM)- The COVID crisis, rain and the sudden death of Puneeth Rajkumar seem to have dampened the spirits of people celebrating Deepavali this year, going by the trend of sale of crackers in the city.

However, cracker sellers are hoping that business will pick up from now on, with the 3-day festival of lights commencing from today and also on clear rain-less skies. The authorities have allowed cracker sellers to do business for five days from Nov. 1 to Nov. 5 which could be extended by another five days if sellers come up with a request. The sellers are allowed to sell only green crackers as per a direction from the Supreme Court.

Stalls have come up at J.K. Grounds in the heart of the city, along the JLB Road at Vidyaranyapuram, Hebbal Industrial Area, near Bandanthamma Temple on Kantharaj Urs Road in Kuvempunagar and at several other points. People were seen visiting cracker stalls closer to their homes right from today morning as the three-day Deepavali festival began with the customary rituals.

MCC Commissioner G. Lakshmikantha Reddy said that licences have been given only for the sale of green crackers. Pointing out that though sale of crackers can be allowed for 10 days till Nov. 10 as per the fresh set of Government guidelines, the MCC has given licence to sell only for five days (till Nov.5). However, the MCC will consider extending the permission, if sellers place a request, he added.

Meanwhile, Sudarshan of Santosh Crackers located on Rane Madras Factory Road in Hebbal told *Star of Mysore* that his cracker stall holds a licence for selling crackers throughout the year. "We have been in the business for 25 years and there are only two licenced cracker stalls in the city for throughout-the-year cracker sales," he said.

Maintaining that cracker sales were not on the expected lines as of yesterday, Sudarshan said that he hopes that business will pick up from now on. Gift boxes with prices ranging from Rs.300 to Rs.3,500 are available. A vast range of loose crackers too are available.

Anand of Jupiter Stores, also located on Rane Madras Factory Road, said that sales are yet to pick up. Stating that he sources his crackers from manufacturing units at Tamil Nadu's Sivakasi, Anand said that gift boxes are available at his shop which contain 20 to 45 items.

Vijaykumar, a cracker stall owner at JK Grounds said green crackers were mandatory last year too and last year, sales took a hit as there were confusions on classification and categorization of green crackers. But this year, all cracker boxes carry green labels, which has ended the confusion, he said.

Government issues guidelines

- Only sale of green crackers is permitted in accordance with Supreme Court directions and sale of any other variants is banned.
- Sellers should meet all mandatory requirements such as obtaining a licence or NoC from authorities.
- Sale of green crackers can be permitted till Nov. 10.
- All licence holders should do business only at the specified spots and period.
- Stalls should be opened only at grounds or at other vacant spaces that are far away from residential areas.
- Stalls should have good ventilation and a distance of 6 metres should be maintained between any two cracker shops.
- All stalls are required to mandatorily display the licence.
- Also, all stalls should be sanitised every day as a precautionary and safety measure.
- Besides, customers visiting stalls must be screened for body temperature and provided with sanitisers.
- The stall owners must ensure that there is no crowding during sales.
- Wearing a face mask and maintaining physical distancing is compulsory.
- Stall owners should follow all other standard Government directions.
- Adherence to COVID appropriate behaviour and compliance of all other Government SOPs on COVID precautionary measures is a must.

Rush for heart checks at many city hospitals

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Many are coming in due to the psychological impact of the media coverage after watching Puneeth's death and also due to viral messages on WhatsApp asking people not to ignore or neglect their heart, he added.

Not only Jayadeva but also many private hospitals of Mysuru like Cauvery Heart & Multi-Speciality Hospital, Narayana Hrudayalaya, Columbia Asia, Apollo BGS Hospitals and JSS Hospital are seeing extra rush for heart check-ups where the OPDs have seen a jump by 35 percent over the last four days.

Guidelines to gyms

Meanwhile, though it still remains unclear if the intense training resulted in Puneeth's death, Karnataka Health Minister K. Sudhakar has said that the State Government could bring guidelines for gymnasiums and fitness centres to meet any health-related emergencies at their premises.

He said that he was getting a summary prepared by renowned cardiologists that would be provided to gymnasiums and fitness centres across the State. "The guidelines will be on the type of equipment to be used in the gym and training the trainers to handle an emergency with first aid," the Minister said.

Reacting to this, President of Mysuru Gym and Fitness Owners Association M.S. Harsha told *SOM* that they follow stringent guidelines while allowing fitness enthusiasts to use gym equipment. "A complete and a thorough fitness evaluation is done on all those who come to our gyms by fitness experts and no one is allowed on the floor unless the evaluation is determined safe," he said.

"I am not too sure of what the Government guidelines are all about, but we do follow precautions like keeping first aid kits, fitness consultations, work-out based on physical endurance and the likes," he added.

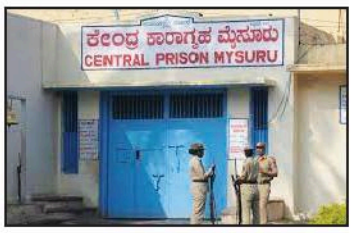
No freedom for 37 Mysuru jail inmates despite good conduct

They were to be released on August 15, 2021

Mysuru, Nov. 3 (RK&KS)- A total of 37 inmates of Mysuru Central Prisons, who were to be released on Aug. 15, 2021, for good conduct are still languishing there.

Reason: The prison authorities are yet to receive communication from the State Government.

According to sources in the jail, there are a total of 850 inmates serving sentences for various crimes and the prison authorities had recommended 37 of them to be released on the grounds of good conduct to the State Committee.



The State Committee, after receiving the list of the inmates who were to be released on Aug. 15, had sent the same to the State Government to be discussed and passed in the Cabinet, sources added.

But due to COVID-19 pandemic, the Government was unable to take up the matter for discussion

Obituary

K.C. Krishnaiah

Kushalnagar, Nov. 3 - K.C. Krishnaiah (74), retired Registrar, Irrigation Department and a resident of 'Shanthi Nilaya' at S.P. Layout on H.R.P. Colony Road, Kushalnagar, passed away today early morning following brief illness.

He leaves behind his wife K.B. Shanthi (Kiriyamada), a retired teacher, two sons, one daughter, daughters-in-law, grand children and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were held at Kushalnagar this afternoon.

Malini Satyanarayana

Mysuru: Malini Satyanarayana (69), wife of Dr. H.S. Satyanarayana and a resident of 2961/52, CH-11, 5th Main, 2nd Cross at Saraswathipuram, passed away on Oct. 31 in city. She was well known for her doll arrangements during Dasara.

She leaves behind her husband, one son, one daughter, daughter-in-law, son-in-law, grandchildren and a host of relatives and friends. Last rites were held on Nov. 1 at the foot of Chamundi Hill.

Dr. C.N. Mruthyunjayappa Award conferred on doctor couple

Noted Doctor couple Dr. H.R. Manikarnika and Dr. B.N. Sheshadri, who were conferred with prestigious 'Dr. C.N. Mruthyunjayappa Adarsha Vaidya Seva Award' at a programme at Sri Rajendra Auditorium in JSS Hospital premises on Monday, is seen with Suttur Seer Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji, Karnataka Safai Karmachari Commission Chairman M. Shivanna, Noted Humorist and retired Principal Prof. M. Krishnegowda, former MP C.H. Vijayashankar, District Minister S.T. Somashekar, JSS Medical College Principal Dr. H. Basavanagoudappa, Sudha Mruthyunjayappa, Kadali Mahila Vedike President Sharada Shivalingaswamy, Akhila Bharata Sharana Sahitya Parishat Mysuru District President Helavarahundi Siddappa, City President M.G. Sadanandaiah and others were present.

Mysuru, Nov. 3 (MK&DM)- Noted Doctor couple Dr. H.R. Manikarnika (Ophthalmologist) and Dr. B.N. Sheshadri (General Physician) were conferred the prestigious 'Dr. C.N. Mruthyunjayappa Adarsha Vaidya Seva Award' at a programme jointly organised by Mysuru District and City Units of Akhila Bharata Sharana Sahitya Parishat and Kadali Mahila Vedike at Sri Rajendra Auditorium in JSS Hospital premises here on Monday.

Speaking after conferring the award, Suttur Seer Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji said that the Medical field is growing by leaps and bounds over the years. Noting that Medical Tourism is gaining popularity, he said that maintaining a balanced diet is key for good health.

Maintaining that Dr. Mruthyunjayappa became popular by his service to the society, the Seer observed that the awardee couple Dr. Manikarnika and Dr. Sheshadri too are known for their service. Contending that a Doctor's affectionate and patient hearing to the patient's health issues would go a long way in cure, the Seer said that Dr. Manikarnika's service as a Government Doctor is noteworthy.

Earlier, District Minister S.T. Somashekar, who spoke after inaugurating the programme, said that the service of a Doctor was more learnt during the COVID pandemic. Recalling the efforts of Doctors and other medical staff during the crisis, he said that the Seer was instrumental in the setting up of an Oxygen Plant in JSS Hospital premises during the crucial period, when the city was badly in need of Medical Oxygen.

Stating that it was Sri Deshikendra Swamiji, who tipped off on black marketing of Remdesivir injections when the pandemic was at its peak, Somashekar said that the Seer's tip off helped the Police in busting the profiteering racket.

Noted Humorist and retired Principal Prof. M. Krishnegowda, who delivered the felicitation address, said it is Doctors who explore the secrets behind the mysterious world of creations.

Noting that health does not necessarily mean only physical health, he observed that mental, spiritual and social health too are vital in these days of mechanised world. Highlighting that doctors need to be always committed to their service, Prof. Krishnegowda said that a Doctor can have satisfaction only if a patient is cured of his/ her ills.

Rotary Ivory City Awards presented

Mysuru, Nov. 3- As part of its 6th Charter Day, the Rotary Ivory City Mysuru conferred 'Margadarshaka' and 'Yuva Pratibhe' Awards at a programme organised at a private hotel in city recently.

Speaking as the guest of honour on the occasion, Swami Vivekananda Memorial Palliative Care Centre Head B.S. Ramakrishna Mudre said that Swami Vivekananda Youth Movement (SVYM) has been rendering service to the society in fields such as Health, Education, Economic Research, Human Resources etc., for the past 35 years.

Maintaining that SVYM is a Non-Governmental organisation working towards building a responsible civil society, he said that the Palliative Care Centre will cater to the needs of patients suffering from Cancer, Stroke, Cerebral Palsy, AIDS and such other dreaded ailments.

Highlighting the role of counsellors in the treatment of suffering patients, he said that more than 3,000 patients have walked out of the centre after undergoing therapy or treatment. He called for involvement of youths as volunteers in building a healthy and active society.

Shot-putter V. Ambika and Vivekananda Memorial Palliative Care Centre Head B.S. Ramakrishna Mudre, who were conferred with 'Yuva Pratibhe' and 'Margadarshaka' award respectively at the 6th Charter Day programme organised by Rotary Ivory City Mysuru at a private hotel in city recently, are seen with Past Assistant Governor Rtn. Sunil L. Baliga, Rotary Ivory City Mysuru President Rtn. Iftekhar Ahmed, Secretary Rtn. Latha Sachi, Executive Secretary Rtn. Dr. M.K. Sachidanandan, Director (Community Service) Rtn. R. Muthukumaran and others.

PGD PHF Rtn. M. Lakshminarayan, in his address, explained the role of Rotary institutions in various social services.

Asserting that Rotary played a crucial role in helping the society during the COVID crisis, he said that the social services helped in sending a message to the society on the values of human life.

B.S. Ramakrishna Mudre was conferred 'Margadarshaka' Award and shot-putter V. Ambika was conferred 'Yuva Pratibhe' Award on the occasion.

Rotary Ivory City Mysuru President Rtn. Iftekhar Ahmed, Secretary Rtn. Latha Sachi, Past Assistant Governor Rtn. Sunil L. Baliga, Director (Community Service) Rtn. R. Muthukumaran, Director (Club Service) Rtn. S. Balachandar, Executive Secretary Rtn. Dr. M.K. Sachidanandan, Joint Secretary Rtn. Shabana Iftekhar, Director (Vocational Service) Rtn. PHF Babu Attar, Sergeant-at-Arms Rtn. Shakunthala Babu, Pooja Baliga and others were present.

Natl. Sports Awards-2021 announced

New Delhi, Nov. 3- The Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports yesterday announced the names of the 12 sports-persons who will be awarded the Major Dhyan Chand Khel Ratna Award for the year 2021. A host of medallists from Tokyo Olympics and Paralympics will be given India's highest sporting honour. The list also includes Indian women's cricket legend Mithali Raj and Indian football team captain Sunil Chhetri.

The awards will be given as part of the National Sports Awards, which will be held on Nov. 13. All the sports-persons will receive their awards from the President of India at Rashtrapati Bhavan. A total of 35 sports-persons will receive Arjuna Awards for outstanding performance in sports.

THE AWARDEES

Major Dhyan Chand Khel Ratna Award: Neeraj Chopra (Athletics), Ravi Kumar (Wrestling), Lovlina Borgohain (Boxing), P.R. Sreejesh (Hockey), Avani Lekhara (Para Shooting), Sumit Antil (Para Athletics), Pramod Bhagat (Para Badminton), Krishna Nagar (Para Badminton), Manish Narwal (Para Shooting), Mithali Raj (Cricket), Sunil Chhetri (Football) & Manpreet Singh (Hockey).

Arjuna Awards: Arpinder Singh (Athletics), Simranjit Kaur (Boxing), Shikhar Dhawan (Cricket), C.A. Bhavani Devi (Fencing), Monika (Hockey), Vandana Katariya (Hockey), Sandeep Narwal (Kabaddi), Himani Uttam Parab (Mallakhamb), Abhishek Verma (Shooting), Ankita Raina (Tennis), Deepak Punia (Wrestling), Dilpreet Singh, Harman Preet Singh, Rupinder Pal Singh, Surender Kumar, Amit Rohidas, Birendra Lakra, Sumit, Nilakanta Sharma, Hardik Singh, Vivek Sagar Prasad, Gurjant Singh, Mandeep Singh, Shamsher Singh, Lalit Kumar Upadhyay, Varun Kumar & Simranjeet Singh (all Hockey), Yogesh Kathuniya (Para Athletics), Nishad Kumar (Para Athletics), Praveen Kumar (Para Athletics), Suhash Yathiraj (Para Badminton) Singhraj Adhana (Para Shooting), Bhavina Patel (Para Table Tennis), Harvinder Singh (Para Archery) and Sharad Kumar (Para Athletics).

Out of Rs. 6 crore, Rs. 5.42 crore spent for Dasara-2021

Rs. 4.22 crore for Mysuru Dasara, Rs. 50 lakh each for Mandya and Chamarajanagar, Rs. 20 lakh for Arkalgud Dasara

Mysuru District Minister S.T. Somashekar** (centre) **briefing the media on the Dasara expenditure at Mysore Palace Board Office in city on Monday as** (from left) **MUDA Chairman H.V. Rajeev, Mayor Sunanda Palanetra, MLA L. Nagendra, DC Dr. Bagadi Gautham, City Police Commissioner Dr. Chandragupta and SP R. Chethan look on. DCP Geetha Prasanna is partially seen.

Mysuru, Nov. 3 (BCT)- Despite the Dasara festivities being scaled down and the procession limited to Mysore Palace in view of COVID-19, the Government has incurred an expenditure of Rs. 5.42 crore for the celebrations in Mysuru, Srirangapatna, Chamarajanagar and Arkalgud.

The State Government had released Rs. 6 crore for the entire celebrations. Releasing the details of the expenditure at Mysore Palace Board Office in city on Monday after getting it from the District Administration, Mysuru District Minister S.T. Somashekar said that the Government has spent Rs. 5,42,07,679 and the remaining Rs. 57 lakh is with the District Administration.

While Rs. 4.22 crore was spent on Mysuru Dasara, Rs. 50 lakh each has been spent on the Dasara celebrations in Mandya and Chamarajanagar and another Rs. 20 lakh was given to Arkalgud Dasara in Hassan district, he said.

This is the second successive year that the State Government is making public the details of the Dasara expenditure and last year, Rs. 2.05 crore was spent.

Somashekar said that this year, Rs. 5.91 lakh was spent on Dasara invitation card, Rs. 29 lakh on transport for dignitaries and artistes, Rs. 37.5 lakh for *Jumboo Savari*, Rs. 1.03 crore on cultural programmes and remuneration to the artistes, Rs. 18.85 lakh on tableaux, Rs. 50 lakh on maintenance of Dasara elephants and Rs. 93.8 lakh on stage and lighting.

Rs. 11.09 lakh was spent on web-casting Dasara programmes, Rs. 40 lakh was given as honorarium to the erstwhile Mysore royal family and Rs. 6.22 lakh for live telecast of *Jumboo Savari* on Doordarshan, besides Rs. 24,000 incurred on providing insurance cover to the elephants and their mahouts.

For stationery, Rs. 90,919 had been spent by the office of the Special Officer for Dasara and Rs. 3,245 by the Dasara Sub-Committee. Rs. 95,000 had been spent on photography and videography, Rs. 10.76 lakh had been spent on cleaning and another Rs. 10 lakh on Rangotsava, he added.

Mayor Sunanda Palanetra, MLA L. Nagendra, Mysuru Urban Development Authority (MUDA) Chairman H.V. Rajeev, Deputy Commissioner (DC) Dr. Bagadi Gautham, City Police Commissioner Dr. Chandragupta, Deputy Commissioner of Police (DCP) Geetha Prasanna and Superintendent of Police (SP) R. Chethan were present during the press meet.

MYSORE WINTER RACES 2021

(By Our Racing Correspondent)

'ELECTRICITY ' for RANGA FAMILY Cup

Mysuru, Nov. 3- Following are the selections for the 3rd Day of Mysore Winter Races to be held here tomorrow (Thursday - Nov. 4, 2021):

1.	2.30 PM	**THE T. NARASIPURA PLATE**
		1200 mts. - 3 years (TERMS)
		1. COME ALIVE 2. AQUILA DO RO
2.	3.00 PM	**THE NANDI DURGA PLATE**
		1400 mts. - rated 20 to 45
		1. CHILLY BREEZE 2. CLOVIS
3.	3.30 PM	**THE PANDAVAPURA PLATE**
		1600 mts. - rated 20 to 45
		1. SAN VINTO 2. NAVAL WRESTLER
4.	4.00 PM	**THE RANGA FAMILY CUP**
		1400 mts. - rated 75 and above
		1. ELECTRICITY 2. TREMENDOUS
5.	4.30 PM	**THE SAKALESHPUR PLATE**
		1200 mts. - rated 40 to 65
		1. WIN ALL 2. D. THIRTEEN TWELVE
6.	5.00 PM	**THE KRS PLATE**
		1400 mts. - rated 40 to 65
		1. ROYAL DESIGN 2. AURELIA

***DAY'S BEST:** SAN VINTO*

***DOUBLE:** 1. ELECTRICITY 2. WIN ALL*

***JACKPOT:** 2, 3, 4, 5, 6*

***TREBLE:** 4,5,6*

***EXACTAS:** 5,6*

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Sri Chamarajendra Zoological Gardens, Mysuru

Date: 01.11.2021

WALK-IN-INTERVIEW

Sri Chamarajendra Zoological Gardens, Mysuru, is proposing to engage Biologist purely on Contract basis with the monthly salary of Rs.18,000/-. Walk-in-interview for the selection of suitable candidate is scheduled on 09.11.2021 at 11.00 a.m. at the office of the undersigned. Interested candidate age from 23 to 28 years is having M.sc in "Forestry/Wildlife Management / Zoology / Wildlife Biology" can participate in the walk-in-interview along with supported documents. Candidates with experience in the filed will be given preference.

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KSRTC, Mandya Division, Mandya. **Negotiation applications are invited at** Nagamangala Bus Stand General Stall - 01, Belakavaid Bus Stand - Hotel, Koppa Bus Stand - General Stall - 01, K.M. Doddi Bus Stand - Hotel, Halaguru Bus Stand - General Stall - 02, Kikkery Bus Stand - General Stall - 01, 02 & Hotel, Bannuru Bus Stand - General Stall - 01, K.R. Pete Bus Stand - General Stall-01, Pandavapura Bus Stand - Hotel & Melukote Bus Stand - General Stall - 03 and 04, for the licensee selection submitting Negotiation application along with required documents and **Application fee and EMD D.D's submission date: 23-11-2021 at 10.30 to date: 24-11-2021 at 17.00 and Negotiation will be held on 25-11-2021 at 11.30 AM** and **E-tender applications are invited at** Madduru Bus Stand Open Place-01 & Open Place-03 (General Stall), Pandavapura Bus Stand - General Stall - 03, Srirangapattana Bus Stand - General Stall - 07 (reserved for SC) and General Stall - 06, K.R. Pete Bus Stand - General Stall - 04, General Stall - 05 (reserved for ST), General Stall - 06 (reserved for SC), General Stall - 07, General Stall - 08, General Stall - 09 (reserved for Physical Handicapped Person), General Stall - 10, General Stall - 11 and Two Wheeler Parking (Open place - Underground). **Manual Tender applications are invited at** Melukote Bus Stand - Hotel & Bannuru Bus Stand - General Stall - 3 for the licensee selection. Last date for submitting E-Tender application in e-Portal and Manual tender application receiving last date: **25-11-2021 at 17.00.** Tender documents and D.D's submission date: **26-11-2021 at 10.30 to date: 29-11-2021 at 17.00.** E-Tender will be opened on **30-11-2021 at 11.00 AM.** Manual tender will be held on **30-11-2021 at 15.30** and visit the Website: **http://www.ksrtc.karnataka.gov.in** or the interested tenderer visit the Website: **http://www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in** or KSRTC, Mandya Division, Mandya for more details contact No: **77609960652, 7760990661, 7337680837.**

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WORD OF THE DAY

Mirage

Pronunciation: muh-RAHZH.
Meaning: A mirage is a reflection of light that can trick the mind into interpreting a sight as an apparently solid thing. The word is also used figuratively to describe things that are illusory or unattainable.
Origin: Mirage comes from the French verb mirer ("to look at"), which is related to mirror. Mirer, itself, is from Latin mīrārī ("to wonder at"), the ancestor of the commonly seen admire, miracle, and marvel.
Example: "Kozell spent the first day after the storm patching holes in his own roof, and he's been helping clients ever since. A day off is a distant mirage for workers like him and Hasan, who predict they'll be patching roofs for weeks to come." — Matt Sledge, The Times-Picayune, 6 Sept. 2021.

THE ODD WORD

Macropterous

Having large wings or fins.

PHRASE OF THE DAY

Miss the boat

Meaning: The phrase 'miss the boat' literally means: to miss a good opportunity.
Origin: This phrase is also common to use as a warning! For example: "don't miss the boat." Or "do it now before you miss the boat."
Example: "My friends are off to ski. I missed the boat this time, but I will join them next season."

QUOTE BOX

Even if it is made up of gold, the sailing boat can go nowhere without the humble wind! **— Mehmet Murat Ildan**

RIDDLE THIS

Solve the rebus:

GIVE	GET
GIVE	GET
GIVE	GET
GIVE	GET

Answer: Forgive and forget.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:

1 Ten decibels?
4 Equal Time Point
7 Physicist who predicted the existence of the positron
9 Zeus changed her - "bone I" pick?
12 The least things
13 Beg, borrow or ___?
14 ___ Chandra Chatterji : creator of Vande Mataram?
15 Cost or expenditure or investment?
17 English city in the fens
18 Gets closer
20 "Ali" turning into a girl?
21 Impairs or damages
22 Unpleasantly wet, foetid
23 __ __ __ wait for no man? (4,3,4)
27 Indian queen
28 Vast age
29 Curve
30 Unearth (3,2)
32 Atty.'s degree
35 Pointed arches?
37 Bhopal, Cuttack, Patna, et al.?
39 Day's march
40 Sound reflections
41 The adult male voice higher than baritone
42 Peter, Paul or Xavier
43 Fr. holy title
44 Lightning Sensor Sys.

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

P	E	R	I	S	H	■	F	R	A	N	C	E		
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C	C	I	I	■	E	D	I	T	■	S	E	R	E	
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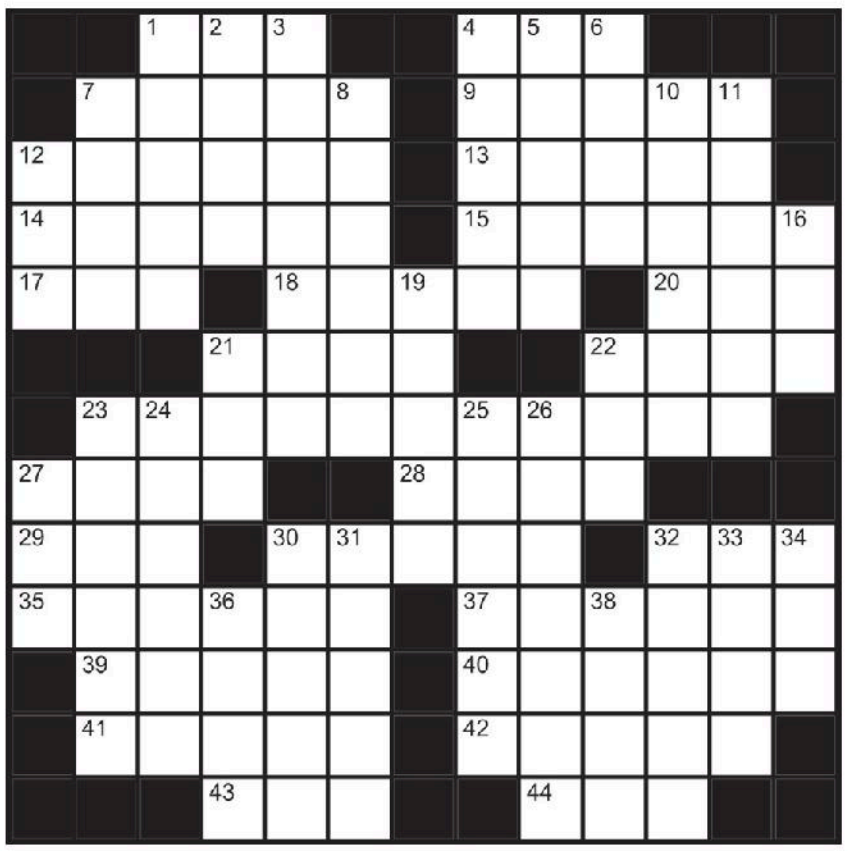
T	O	K	E	N	S	■	S	E	X	T	E	T		

DOWN

1 Ex-India and Karnataka all-rounder Roger ___
2 French composer ___ Satie
3 "A A milne" anagram for thin plates or scales or layers?
4 Belgian painter - "senor" anagram?
5 Roman emperor, AD79
6 Geoffrey Chaucer was the one who wrote "Canterbury Tales"
7 Phone or call on phone
8 Photographic device
10 Narrative poem or song
11 Seinfeld regular
12 English honour, for short
16 Himalayan ox
19 It may develop when things don't seem to be going smoothly (1,4)
21 2001, to Augustus
22 Loud noise
23 Objective
24 Urge on
25 Twos in playing cards
26 Of current interest
27 Indian prime minister 1991-6
30 Bus garage
31 Grenoble river
32 Tawny beasts
33 English court
34 Random Hse. mail
36 Delivery vehicles
38 Pronoun to point out nearby things



SUDOKU

	1							2
		6			9		5	
			5		1			8
		8		4			9	
1								6
	5			2		1		
2			6		4			
	9		7			4		
7							8	

Answer to previous puzzle

1	9	6	2	4	8	5	7	3
7	4	8	5	1	3	2	9	6
2	3	5	7	9	6	4	8	1
5	6	7	8	2	9	3	1	4
8	2	9	1	3	4	7	6	5
3	1	4	6	5	7	8	2	9
6	5	3	9	7	2	1	4	8
9	7	1	4	8	5	6	3	2
4	8	2	3	6	1	9	5	7

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

DPC OWIJAN WZ TCJBS DWW AMYDJWYR

JR DPC SQCMDCRD QJRH WZ MII.

TODAY'S CLUE: W EQUALS O

Yesterday's Cryptoquip: Learning to live in the present moment is part of the path of joy.

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  Salaga (K) - 4 shows
- **Skyline Theatre** — Ph: 2481170
  Salaga (K) - 4 shows
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- **Sterling Theatre** — Ph: 2481170
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- **Padma Theatre** — Ph: 2521923
  Kotigobba 3 (K) - 4 shows
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Bhajarangi-2	(S-1)	8.10 am, 1.05 pm, 3.55 pm, 6.55 pm
	(S-2)	10.15 am
	(S-4)	8.30 am, 2.15 pm
Venom: Let There Be Carnage (E)	(S-1)	11.10 am; (S-4) 5.20 pm
Doctor (Ta)	(S-2)	1.15 pm
Romantic (Te)	(S-2)	4.15 pm
Varudu Kaavalenu (Te)	(S-2)	7.00 pm
Salaga (K)	(S-3)	10.30 am
Ninna Sanihake (K)	(S-3)	1.05 pm
Kotigobba 3 (K)	(S-3)	4.05 pm, 6.50 pm
	(S-4)	11.30 am
Ron's Gone Wrong (3D-E)	(S-4)	7.30 pm

INOX LIVE THE MOVIE — Ph: 2533444 / 2533456

Bhajarangi-2	(S-1)	11.40 am, 3.05 pm, 6.30 pm
	(S-2)	2.05 pm, 5.30 pm
	(S-3)	10.00 am; (S-4) 9.30 am
Illinda Arambhavaagide (K)	(S-4)	12.50 pm
Salaga (K)	(S-4)	4.00 pm
Kotigobba 3 (K)	(S-3)	1.20 pm, 6.55 pm
Varudu Kaavalenu (Te)	(S-4)	6.50 pm
Venom: Let There Be Carnage (E)	(S-3)	4.25 pm
Ninna Sanihake (K)	(S-2)	10.40 am

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Bhajarangi 2 (K)	:	8.50 am, 11.00 am, 11.40 am, 12.10 pm, 2.20 pm, 3.00 pm, 3.30 pm, 6.20 pm, 6.50 pm
Kotigobba 3 (K)	:	11.00 am, 3.30 pm
Salaga (K)	:	1.25 pm, 6.45 pm
Ron's Gone Wrong (3D-E)	:	2.15 pm, 7.20 pm
Venom: Let There Be Carnage (3D-E)	:	4.55 pm
Halloween Kills (E)	:	10.45 am, 4.25 pm, 7.05 pm
Star (Ma)	:	5.40 pm
Varudu Kaavalenu (Te)	:	12.30 pm

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Bhajarangi 2 (K)	:	9.30 am, 11.30 am, 12.15 pm, 2.50 pm, 3.35, 6.10, 6.55 pm
Kotigobba 3 (K)	:	12.50 pm
Salaga (K)	:	3.40 pm
Venom: Let There Be Carnage (3D-E)	:	7.35 pm
Varudu Kaavalenu (Te)	:	6.40 pm
Dune (E)	:	4.05 pm

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Kotigobba 3 (K)	(S-1)	11.00 am, 4.15 pm, 7.15 pm
Salaga (K)	(S-1)	1.45 pm; (S-4) 7.00 pm
Bhajarangi 2 (K)	(S-2)	7.00 pm
	(S-3)	8.15 am, 11.15 am, 2.15 pm, 5.30 pm
O Madhu (Te)	(S-4)	1.45 pm
Doctor (Ta)	(S-4)	4.00 pm

NOTE: Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there are no minimum audience of 15 to the film announced here.

CRICKET TALK

By V.N. Prasad

Kiwis drub Indians; 33 balls to spare

Sharp at 7 pm. Virat flipped the coin up. Kane called it right. For the umpteenth time, Virat lost the toss. Kane chose to chase. Statistically, victory chasing was at 8 to 0. We had not beaten NZ in a WC since 2013. With the toss, half the gloom descended. Instead of efforts to reverse the statistics, boys exhibited utter irresponsibility and lackadaisical approach and we had lost the match with the score board displaying 48 for 4 in the 10th over; a bizarre state if not ridiculous. MSD should be kicking himself having been appointed the mentor of our team.

There was nothing to choose between Ishant, Rohit and KLR to open. IPL lad Ishant known more for flamboyance than for craftsmanship was fooled by Boult with a slower off break right down the throat of Mitchell; the lonely Marshall down deep square leg. That Rohit hooked the 1st ball right into the hands of Milne was more of a shock than convincing. Thankfully, Milne floored a sitter. Chance was squarely squandered by Rohit too soon. KLR should have exhibited caution to consolidate than throw his bat. Virat followed suit. Just imagine. Not a single 'Bowled out' nor a 'Leg Before' but all 4 wickets gone to skiers; and all were grossly irresponsible lofts; literally a carnage; disgusting to watch. Anxiety to blaze the trail did in too early in the encounter.

All that followed were more of face saving grace than cricket. The body language and wrinkles on faces in the dressing room were on account of unpardonable humiliation. Paltry 110 in 20 overs was too little to defend.

Guptill and Mitchell started with gusto stroking at over 100 strike rate. Stage was well set for a convincing victory. Dismissals of Guptill and Mitchell were more mundane than any events to rejoice. Kane followed with a majestically crafted knock to finish the rituals. In all, 10 fours and 3 sixes saw Kiwis inflicting humiliating defeat sending us right to the bottom of the table. Heartiest congratulations to them.

And, my apologies to the readers. I am a little harsh in this article. I am sure you were all as disappointed as I was.

Emerges Champion at KSLTA-AITA TS 7 U-14

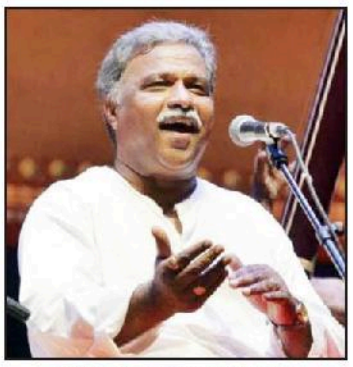
Mysuru, Nov. 3- Arzan Khorakiwala, a product of the Raghuveer Tennis Academy, Mysuru, emerged Champion in the KSLTA-AITA Talent Series 7 Under-14 Tournament, an event on the Tattvam Junior Tour, here recently. In the finals played at the KSLTA Tennis Stadium, Arzan quelled the challenge of Gurleen Kaur Khanuja in straight sets 6-3, 6-3.

This is the second successive Under-14 title for Arzan after her victory in Coimbatore last week.

A student of I Can - The Learning Centre, Mysuru, Arzan is the daughter of Sonali Khorakiwala and Haider Khorakiwala, residents of Sankalp Central Park, Mysuru.

Arzan Khorakiwala

Music Concert on Nov. 7



Pt. M. Venkatesh Kumar

Mysuru, Nov. 3- Raaga Vaibhava Charitable Trust will be presenting a grand Hindustani Classical Vocal Music Programme by **Pt. M. Venkatesh Kumar** on Nov. 7 at 6 pm at Sri Nadabrahma Sangeetha Sabha auditorium on JLB Road in city.

He will be accompanied by **Dr. Panchakshari Hiremath** on harmonium and **Pt. Keshav Joshi** on tabla.

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West Indies Vs
Sri Lanka - 7.30 pm

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Bangladesh - 84 (18.2)
Lose to
South Africa - 86/4 (13.3)

Pakistan - 189/2 (20)
Beat
Namibia - 144/5 (20)

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